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SUBJECT: UK SURVEY OPERATIONS IN MALAYSIA

1. THE UNITED KINGDOM (UK) PARTICIPATES IN A US DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE GEODETIC SATELLITE POINT POSITIONING PROGRAM THROUGH THE 512 SPECIALIST TEAM, ROYAL ENGINEERS (STRE), HEADQUARTERED AT THE DEFENSE MAPPING AGENCY (DMA), WASHINGTON, DC.

2. A SECTION FROM THE 512 STRE WILL BE MOVING INTO MALAYSIA DURING 14-28 AUGUST 1978 TO CONDUCT FIELD SURVEY OPERATIONS FOR A PERIOD OF APPROXIMATELY THREE MONTHS. THE TEAM IS EQUIPPED WITH A GEOCEIVER, AN INSTRUMENT WHICH RECEIVES A SIGNAL FROM U.S. NAVY NAVIGATION SATELLITES AND RECORDS DATA FROM WHICH GEOGRAPHIC COORDINATES OF THE GROUND STATION ARE DERIVED. A MINIMUM OF NINE STATIONS WILL BE FIXED,
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THREE IN SABAH, THREE IN SARAWAK, AND THREE IN PENINSULAR MALAYSIA. THE UK PERSONNEL INVOLVED ARE CAPTAIN J.M. CAMPBELL, ROYAL ENGINEERS; SSGT B.J. BLAKEMORE, ROYAL ENGINEERS; SGT B. GARLICK, ROYAL ENGINEERS; AND CPO A.M. ROBERTS, ROYAL NAVY.

3. PURPOSE OF THIS MESSAGE IS TO INFORM YOU OF THE

ASSOCIATION OF THE UK SURVEY TEAM WITH THE US DOD SURVEY

PROGRAM. MESSAGE IS PROVIDED FOR INFORMATION ONLY.
CLEARANCES FOR TEAM AND EQUIPMENT HAVE BEEN PROCESSED
THROUGH NORMAL UK CHANNELS. THE ONLY ASSISTANCE WHICH
MAY BE REQUIRED FROM THE US EMBASSY IS DUPLICATION OF
DOPPLER TAPES ON EMBASSY COMMUNICATIONS EQUIPMENT PRIOR
TO DISPATCH OF ORIGINAL TAPES TO THE UK. NO US PERSONNEL
ARE INVOLVED IN SUPPORT OF THE UK SURVEY TEAM.
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